Rhode Island Precipitation National Weather Service Boston/Norton, MA

Preliminary Precipitation Data (inches) by Drought Region Past 12 to 36 months ending November 2019

Includes CoCoRaHS Data

RI 1 month November 2019	Rainfall	Departure	Percent	Normal
Northwest	3.58	-1.38	72	4.96
Northeast	3.31	-1.48	69	4.79
Central West	3.26	-1.49	69	4.75
Central East	3.14	-1.37	70	4.51
Eastern	3.56	-0.77	82	4.33
Southern	3.39	-1.66	67	5.05
New Shoreham	2.21	-2.84	44	5.05

RI 2 month Oct-Nov 19	Rainfall	Departure	Percent	Normal
Northwest	10.14	0.40	104	9.73
Northeast	8.74	-0.70	93	9.44
Central West	11.18	1.97	121	9.20
Central East	8.89	0.45	105	8.44
Eastern	9.84	1.58	119	8.26
Southern	11.36	2.05	122	9.31
New Shoreham	8.26	-1.05	89	9.31

RI 3 month Sep-Nov 19	Rainfall	Departure	Percent	Normal
Northwest	12.29	-1.54	89	13.82
Northeast	10.92	-2.46	82	13.38
Central West	12.85	-0.34	97	13.18
Central East	10.46	-1.90	85	12.36
Eastern	11.44	-0.55	95	11.99
Southern	13.05	-0.48	96	13.53
New Shoreham	9.35	-4.18	69	13.53

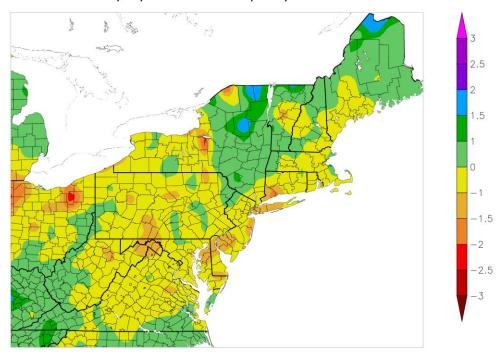
RI 6 month Jun-Nov 19	Rainfall	Departure	Percent	Normal
Northwest	28.10	1.04	104	27.06
Northeast	23.54	-2.31	91	25.85
Central West	26.86	1.49	106	25.37
Central East	22.70	-0.50	98	23.20
Eastern	25.27	1.80	108	23.47
Southern	29.62	3.09	112	26.53
New Shoreham	22.24	-4.29	84	26.53

RI 12 month Dec 18-Nov 19	Rainfall	Departure	Percent	Normal
Northwest	59.39	5.18	110	54.21
Northeast	53.88	2.14	104	51.74
Central West	58.44	7.67	115	50.77
Central East	51.81	4.32	109	47.49
Eastern	52.37	2.82	106	49.55
Southern	61.20	7.63	114	53.57
New Shoreham	51.55	-2.02	96	53.57

RI 24 month Dec 17-Nov 19	Rainfall	Departure	Percent	Normal
Northwest	127.17	19.26	118	107.91
Northeast	119.21	16.05	116	103.16
Central West	125.71	24.17	124	101.54
Central East	116.12	21.45	123	94.67
Eastern	109.34	11.25	111	98.09
Southern	121.14	14.70	114	106.44
New Shoreham	106.25	-0.19	100	106.44

RI 36 month Dec 16-Nov 19	Rainfall	Departure	Percent	Normal
Northwest	180.48	18.87	112	161.61
Northeast	170.07	15.49	110	154.58
Central West	179.10	26.79	118	152.31
Central East	167.88	26.03	118	141.85
Eastern	156.01	9.38	106	146.63
Southern	173.60	14.29	109	159.31
New Shoreham	154.57	-4.74	97	159.31

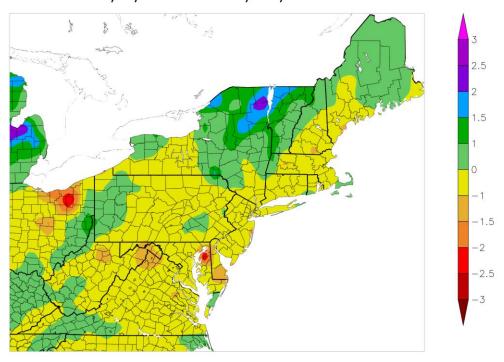
Monthly SPI 11/1/2019 - 11/30/2019



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3-Month SPI 9/1/2019 - 11/30/2019

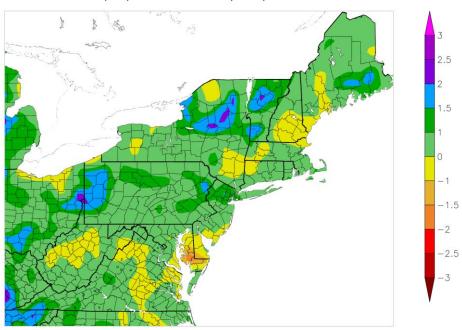


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Map 2. Three-Month SPI ending November 2019.

12-Month SPI 12/1/2018 - 11/30/2019



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Map 3. Twelve month SPI ending November 2019.

Weekly Value for Period Ending Nov 30, 2019 Long Term Palmer DROUGHT SEVERITY INDEX (PALMER) DEPICTS PROLONGED (MONTHS, YEARS) ABNORMAL DRYNESS OR WETNESS: REPONDS SLOWLY; CHANGES LITTLE FROM WEEK TO WEEK; AND REFLECTS LONG-TERM MOISTURE RUNOFF, RECHARGE, AND DEEP Based on preliminary data PERCOLATION AS WELL AS EVAPOTRANSPIRATION. USES... APPLICABLE IN MEASURING DISRUPTIVE EFFECTS OF PROLONGED DRYNESS OR WETNESS ON WATER SENSITIVE ECONOMIES, DESIGNING DISASTER AREAS OF DROUGHT OR WETNESS; AND REFLECTING THE GENERAL LONG-TERM STATUS OF WATER SUPPLIES IN AQUIFERS, RESERVOIRS AND STREAMS. -4.0 or less (Extreme Drought) +2.0 to +2.9 (Unusual Moist Spell) LIMITATIONS... IS NOT GENERALLY INDICATIVE OFFSHORT-TERM (FEW WEEKS) STATUS OF DROUGHT OR WETNESS SUCH AS FREQUENTLY AFFECTS CROPS AND FIELD OPERATIONS (THIS IS INDICATED BY THE CROP MOISTURE INDEX). -3.0 to -3.9 (Severe Drought) +3.0 to +3.9 (Very Moist Spell) ■ +4.0 and above (Extremely Moist) -2.0 to -2.9 (Moderate Drought) ■ Missing/Incomplete __ --1.9 to +1.9 (Near Normal)

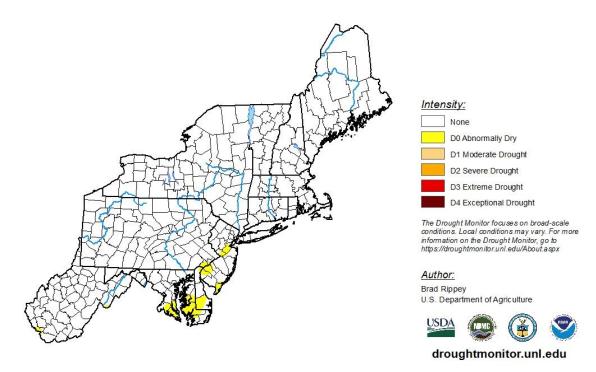
Drought Severity Index by Division

Map 4. Palmer Drought Index from the Climate Prediction Center, NOAA, dated 11/30/19. **RI Palmer is in the Very Moist Spell range**, +3.62.

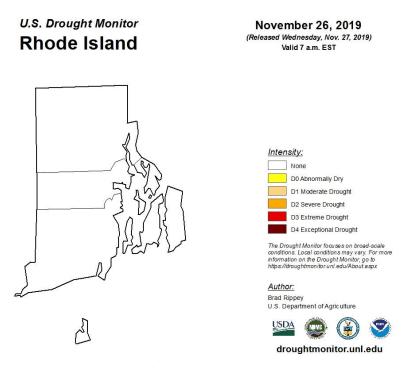
U.S. Drought Monitor Northeast

November 26, 2019

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Map 5. US Drought Monitor for the Northeast U.S. valid 11/26/2019.



Map 6. US Drought Monitor for Rhode Island, valid 11/26/2019.